देश में निर्यात प्रसंस्करण क्षेत्र (एक्सपोर्ट प्रोसेसिंग जोन)

3672. **श्री वीरेन जे० शाह :** क्या **वाणिज्य** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि सरकार ने देश में सात निर्यात प्रसंस्करण क्षेत्रों (एक्सपोर्ट प्रोसेसिंग जोन) की स्थापना की है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इन परिसरों में कुल कितनी औद्योगिक इकाइयां स्थापित की गई हैं तथा मार्च, 1994 तक इन इकाइयों में किये गये कुल पूंजी-निवेश का ब्यौरा क्या है ;

(ग) क्या यह सच है कि इन औद्योगिक इकाइयों द्वारा निर्यात को प्रोत्साहन दिया जाता है ;

(घ) यदि हां, तो पिछले तीन वित्तीय वर्षों के दौरान व्यापार के क्षेत्र में रुपये तथा डालर के रूप में वर्ष-वार कुल कितना निर्यात किया गया;

(ङ) इन वर्षों के दौरान इन इकाइयों द्वारा वर्ष-वार कुल कितने मूल्य का उत्पादन किया गया ; और

(च) इन वर्षों के दौरान इन इकाइयों द्वारा कुल कितना लाभ अर्जित किया गया तथा इस लाभ में विदेशी मुद्रा की मात्रा कितनी है ?

नागरिक आपूर्ति, उपभोक्ता मामले और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री और वाणिज्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री कमालुद्दीन अहमद) : (क) जी, हां ।

(ख) मार्च, 1994 के अन्त तक निर्यात संसाधन क्षेत्रों में कुल 4और औद्योगिक एकक कार्य कर रहे थे 60 इन एककों में निवेश की गई राशि 548.74 करोड़ रु० है ।

(ग) जी, हां ।

(घ) पिछले तीन वित्तीय वर्षों के दौरान वर्ष-वार निर्यात का कुल मूल्य निम्नानुसार है:—

वर्ष	निर्यात का मूल्य	
	रुपये (करोड़ में)	यू०एस०डालर (मिलियन में)
91–92	1177.14	477.54
92–93	1376.31	430.08
*93–94	1957.94	642.25

*(अनन्तिम)

(ङ) और (च) इन एककों के उत्पादन और अर्जित लाभ के आंकड़े क्षेत्रों द्वारा नहीं रखे जा रहे हैं ।

Market Support in A.M.S. for Cotton

3673. SHRI BHUPINDER SINGH MANN : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) what is the total market support in the Aggregate Measurement of Support (A.M.S.) for cotton as submitted in the Uruguay Round of Draft Final Act by Government;

(b) what is the Eligible Production Applied Administered Price, External Reference Price and internal value of the product; and

(c) what are the basis for calculating the marketing support and Aggregate Measurement of Support alongwith Eligible Production ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

(SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) to (c) The total market price support etc. for cotton for the reference period 1986—89 are given below :—

	1986—89 (Average)
Total Market Price Support	(–) Rs. 14543 million.
Eligible Production	1.25 Million Ton.
Applied Administered Price	Rs. 5633/Ton.
External Reference Price	Rs. 17333/Ton.

The data base for calculation of AMS is the Annual Administrative Report of the Ministry of Agriculture and the DGCI&S, Calcutta.

Cheaper Imports in Capital Goods Industry

3674. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news-item published in the Economic Times dated the 14th Feb., 1994 (New Delhi edition) captioned "cheaper imports take the wind out of capital goods industry's sails" and that leading companies in the capital goods sector are facing a crisis situation as they are losing orders worth hundreds of crores to foreign parties;

(b) whetner it is a fact that several companies have submitted Memoranda to Government and Chairman of the Confederation of Indian Industries and its capital goods committee have reportedly stated "most of us will not make any investments to expand or modernise our unit if this situation continues";

(c) if so, the details thereof and whether EPCG market has been lost to foreign manufacturers as domestic suppliers do not get deemed export benefits and their finished products are sheltered by huge tariff walls and

(d) whether Government propose to intervene to help the capital goods industry which is faced with a grim outlook ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) to (d) There have been some representations on the import of second hand capital goods. By recent amendments in the Export and Import Policy, Government have not permitted free import and sale of second-hand capital goods, import of which continues to be with the Actual User condition. However, condition of submission of chartered Engineer's Certificate has been dispensed with and where c.i.f. value of second-hand capital goods is Rs. one crore and above, a certificate from an internationally reputed inspection and certification agency about the reasonableness of the purchase price is required.

As regards Export Promotion Capital Goods Scheme, the local manufactureres can also supply the capital goods by importing components at concessional rate of Customs duty of 15%.

Negative subsidy on Cotton under GATT Proposal

3675. SHRI BHUPINDER SINGH MANN : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) what was the total amount of negative subsidy on cotton and its total value which the farmers would have got without market intervention during the reference period (1986—89) of GATT Proposals; and